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| ★★★★★ | 5 | 17-2051 | Civil Engineers | 1,060 | 1,200 | 90 | \$97,580 | \$57,168 | \$147,728 | <1% | 4% | 5% | 4% | 61% | 23% | 4% | None | Occupation-specific training | Lic. Req. |
| ★★★★★ | 5 | 17-2071 | Electrical Engineers | 540 | 640 | 50 | \$94,116 | \$58,905 | \$132,180 | <1% | 5% | 8% | 6% | 54% | 21% | 5% | None | Occupation-specific training | Lic. Req. |
| ★★★★★ | 5 | 17-2081 | Environmental Engineers | 220 | 250 | 20 | \$110,488 | \$67,418 | \$154,344 | <1% | 4% | 4% | 2% | 54% | 32% | 4% | None | Occupation-specific training | Lic. Req. |
| ★★★★★ | 5 | 19-2041 | Environmental Scientists and Specialists, Including Health | 450 | 520 | 50 | \$64,827 | \$39,516 | \$93,809 | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 56% | 36% | 8% | None | Occupation-specific training | |
| ★★★★★ | 5 | 17-2041 | Chemical Engineers | 1,190 | 1,380 | 100 | \$111,092 | \$63,216 | \$165,672 | No Data | No Data | No Data | No Data | No Data | No Data | No Data | None | Occupation-specific training | Lic. Req. |
| ★★★★★ | 5 | 17-2141 | Mechanical Engineers | 610 | 700 | 50 | \$101,630 | \$73,293 | \$138,598 | 1% | 5% | 9% | 8% | 57% | 17% | 3% | None | Occupation-specific training | Lic. Req. |
| ★★★★ | 4 | 17-3011 | Architectural and Civil Drafters | 260 | 290 | 30 | \$53,141 | \$35,970 | \$73,043 | 1% | 15% | 28% | 27% | 26% | 3% | <1% | None | Occupation-specific training | Cert. Avail. |
| ★★★★ | 4 | 19-4031 | Chemical Technicians | 810 | 860 | 80 | \$73,356 | \$37,223 | \$101,387 | 3% | 29% | 23% | 12% | 26% | 5% | 3% | None | Moderate-term on-the-job training | |
| ★★★★ | 4 | 17-3022 | Civil Engineering Technicians | 490 | 560 | 50 | \$54,754 | \$40,562 | \$74,529 | 4% | 28% | 29% | 18% | 18% | 3% | <1% | None | Occupation-specific training | |
| ★★★★ | 4 | 17-3012 | Electrical and Electronics Drafters | 60 | 70 | 10 | \$68,892 | \$36,019 | \$103,210 | 1% | 15% | 28% | 27% | 25% | 3% | <1% | None | Occupation-specific training | |
| ★★★★ | 4 | 17-3023 | Electrical and Electronics Engineering Technicians | 250 | 270 | 20 | \$58,819 | \$32,386 | \$96,810 | No Data | No Data | No Data | No Data | No Data | No Data | No Data | None | Occupation-specific training | Lic. Req. |
| ★★★★ | 4 | 17-3025 | Environmental Engineering Technicians | 140 | 160 | 10 | \$62,068 | \$31,777 | \$119,995 | 4% | 28% | 29% | 19% | 18% | 3% | <1% | None | Occupation-specific training | |
| ★★★★ | 4 | 19-4091 | Environmental Science and Protection Technicians, Including Health | 200 | 230 | 30 | \$46,926 | \$29,770 | \$62,748 | 3% | 18% | 18% | 10% | 36% | 10% | 4% | None | Occupation-specific training | Lic. Req. |
| ★★★★ | 4 | 19-2042 | Geoscientists, Except Hydrologists and Geographers | 220 | 250 | 20 | \$74,705 | \$39,741 | \$126,169 | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 57% | 35% | 8% | None | Occupation-specific training | |
| ★★★★ | 4 | 17-3027 | Mechanical Engineering Technicians | 60 | 70 | 10 | \$93,984 | \$55,196 | \$133,172 | 4% | 29% | 28% | 19% | 17% | 2% | <1% | None | Occupation-specific training | Lic. Req |
| ★★★★ | 4 | 11-9121 | Natural Sciences Managers | 130 | 140 | 10 | \$86,221 | \$57,969 | \$123,721 | <1% | 2% | 3% | 2% | 40% | 33% | 20% | 5 years or more | Occupation-specific training | |
| ★★★★ | 4 | 27-3031 | Public Relations Specialists | 800 | 900 | 90 | \$46,795 | \$31,063 | \$66,609 | <1% | 5% | 7% | 3% | 61% | 20% | 3% | None | Occupation-specific training | |
| ★★★★ | 4 | 17-3031 | Surveying and Mapping Technicians | 390 | 450 | 50 | \$50,298 | \$32,887 | \$69,865 | 5% | 37% | 34% | 18% | 6% | 1% | <1% | None | Moderate-term on-the-job training | |
| ★★★★ | 4 | 17-1022 | Surveyors | 310 | 350 | 30 | \$63,723 | \$40,706 | \$93,905 | 1% | 6% | 9% | 3% | 70% | 9% | 2% | Less than 5 years | Occupation-specific training | Lic. Req. |
| ★★★ | 3 | 19-4011 | Agricultural and Food Science Technicians | 70 | 80 | 10 | \$36,865 | \$22,703 | \$52,871 | No Data | No Data | No Data | No Data | No Data | No Data | No Data | None | Moderate-term on-the-job training | |
| ★★★ | 3 | 45-2011 | Agricultural Inspectors | 30 | 30 | 0 | \$50,441 | \$30,323 | \$65,789 | No Data | No Data | No Data | No Data | No Data | No Data | No Data | None | Moderate-term on-the-job training | Lic. Req. |
| ★★★ | 3 | 19-4021 | Biological Technicians | 50 | 50 | 10 | \$43,037 | \$21,666 | \$65,777 | 6% | 17% | 19% | 10% | 31% | 10% | 8% | None | Occupation-specific training | |
| ★★★ | 3 | 49-9092 | Commercial Divers | 60 | 60 | 10 | \$36,591 | \$21,708 | \$61,304 | 13% | 47% | 22% | 8% | 9% | 1% | <1% | None | Moderate-term on-the-job training | |
| ★★★ | 3 | 51-8031 | Water and Wastewater Treatment Plant and System Operators | 240 | 240 | 20 | \$39,752 | \$24,657 | \$55,408 | 5% | 49% | 26% | 9% | 10% | 1% | <1% | None | Long-term on-the-job training | Lic. Req. |
| ★★ | 2 | 19-1031 | Conservation Scientists | 400 | 420 | 40 | \$58,844 | \$37,161 | \$84,343 | | | | | | | | None | Occupation-specific training | |
| | | 19-1029 | Biological Scientists, All Other | 180 | 200 | 20 | \$69,291 | \$38,781 | \$95,461 | | | | | | | | None | Occupation-specific training | |
| | | 00-0000 | Total, All Occupations | 9,220 | 10,370 | 910 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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